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*St. James's, January* 13.

THE following Addreſs having been tranſmitted to his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, has by him been preſented to His Majeſty, who was pleaſed to receive it very graciouſly.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen and Aſſiſtants of your Majeſty's City and Corporation of New-York in America, convened in Common-Council.

THE Loſs of our late Sovereign your Majeſty's Royal Father, of glorious Memory, made the deepeſt Impreſſions of Sorrow upon our Hearts. We were ſenſible that Heaven had deprived us of a Prince of moſt eminent Virtue and conſummate Wiſdom; and that to his Arms and Counſels we owed the Preſervation of our Religion and our Liberties, when both were attacked by the moſt formidable Power in Europe. Your Majeſty then (we moſt humbly hope) will conceive how great our Joy was, how much our Hearts were exalted, when we ſaw your Majeſty, his Son and rightful Succeſſor, advanced to the quiet and ſecure Poſſeſſion of the Throne of your Anceſtors, receiving the earlieſt Proofs of the Affections of your loyal Nobility and Commons; the zealous Prayers of thoſe Churches of which your Majeſty is the Defender; and the glad Acclamations of a People devoting their Lives and Fortunes to your Majeſty's Service.

May it pleaſe your Majeſty, though we are far removed from the happy Place of your Royal Reſidence, yet none of your Majeſty's Dominions are more truly ſenſible of the Bleſſings which all enjoy under the Adminiſtration of a good, a great, and a juſt Prince.

We therefore moſt devoutly pray, that your Majeſty may long reign over us; that your Royal Conſort the Queen may be bleſſed with long Life, and a numerous Offſpring; and that together with your Majeſty's Perſon, your great and princely Virtues may for Ages to come continue to be truly repreſented in this your Majeſty's Province.

We are, May it pleaſe your Majeſty,
Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful
and loyal Subjects.

AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 10th Day of *January*, 1727.

PRESENT.

The King's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

His Majeſty having been pleaſed to appoint the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery to be Lord-Lieutenant of the County of Wilts, his Lordſhip this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, inſtead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

His Majeſty in Council was this Day pleaſed to appoint the following Sheriffs, viz.

Cornwall, George Dennys *of* Trenants, *Eſq*;
Hereford, William Skinner *of* Stonehouſe, *Eſq*;
Somerſet, Richard Champneys, *Eſq*;
Stafford, Edward Wilſon *of* Cank, *Eſq*;
Warwick, Samuel Mead *of* Watergall, *Eſq*;

South-Wales.

Brecon. Marmaduke Prythero *of* Builth, *Eſq*;
Pembroke, Robert Popkins, *Eſq*;

*Whitehall, January* 13.

The Appointment of Flag Officers, upon the Death of Vice-Admiral Hoſier, is as follows.

Edward Hopſon, Eſq; Vice-Admiral of the White.

Sir George Walton Vice-Admiral of the Blue.

Salmon Morrice, Eſq; Rear-Admiral of the Red.

Robert Hughes, Eſq; Rear-Admiral of the White.

Philip Cavendiſh, Eſq; Rear-Admiral of the Blue.

Sir George Saunders is made a Commiſſioner of the Navy, in the Room of Sir Thomas Colby.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint John Evans, Walter Lyttleton, Henry Green, and John Hay, Eſqrs, to be Cup-Bearers to His Majeſty.

Harry Cole, John Tilburg, Frederick Henning, and Robert Tripp, Eſqrs. to be Carvers to His Majeſty.

John Hodges, Grey Longuille, Thomas Delafaye, and Stephen Mounier, Eſqrs. to be Gentlemen Sewers to His Majeſty.

Mrs. Jane Kein, to be Houſekeeper and Wardrobe-keeper of His Majeſty's Palace of Kenſington.

Mr. John Allen and Mr. Marmaduke Lilly, to be Apothecaries to His Majeſty's Houſhold.

Whitehall, Jan. 10. 1727-8.

*Whereas Five Pieces of Crimſon Velvet Hangings embroidered with Gold, Silver and Pearl, have lately been ſtolen out of Montagu Houſe: His Majeſty for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Robbery, is pleaſed to promiſe His moſt gracious Pardon to any one of the Criminals, who ſhall diſcover his Accomplices, ſo that they or any of them be apprehended and convicted thereof.*

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

*And for a further Encouragement to any Perſon whatſoever making ſuch Diſcovery, ſo as the ſaid Criminals or any one of them be apprehended and convicted, his Grace the Duke of Montagu doth hereby promiſe, as a Reward to ſuch Diſcoverer, the Sum of Fifty Guineas, to be paid by his Grace at his ſaid Houſe upon ſuch Conviction.*

Montagu.

Cuſtom-Houſe, London, Jan. 8, 1727.

*For Sale, by Order of the Honourable Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, &c. On Wedneſday the 17th of January, 1727, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, will be expoſed to Sale, by Inch of Candle, in the Long Room at the Cuſtom-houſe, London, a Parcel of Tea, Coffee, Brandy, Rum, Geneva, Arrack, Tobacco, clear of all Duties, which are to be ſeen at the King's Warehouſe on Monday the 15th, and Tueſday the 16th Inſtant, from Eight to Twelve in the Forenoon, and from Two till Five in the Afternoon, and all the Morning before the Sale.*

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